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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

We need more competition in the telecommunication industry. Local broadband providers are critical to promote free market competition. I now have competitive telephone service and the choice of fiber instead of stuck with just one or two providers with outdated DSL. I do not want it taken away. I do not want price hikes that will increase the cost of internet and telephone services.

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